

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the City of Lafayette, Indiana, serving as lead agency for the established Joint Purchasing Board on behalf of Tippecanoe County and The City of Lafayette and by resolution 2005-05, will receive sealed bids in the Office of the Clerk, 20 N. 6th Street, up to 1:30 p.m. (E.S.T.) on Thursday, March 4, 2010 with bid openings to be held in the Board of Public Works and Safety Room of City Hall for the following:

BITUMINOUS MATERIALS and APPLICATION OF BITUMINOUS MATERIALS:

- I. Plant Hot Mixed Asphalt (HMA) Materials**
- II. Liquid Asphalt Materials**
- III. Dust Control Materials**
- IV. Cold Mix**
- V. 4.75 mm Steel Slag Sand Surface**

Bids shall be submitted on Regular Bid Form 95 – Revised 1987, which may be obtained at the Office of the Clerk, City Hall, 20 N. 6th Street, Lafayette, Indiana 47901. Bid documents may also be obtained electronically by accessing the Clerk's Office link to the City web site. Accompanied with Bid Form 95, all submissions shall include Joint Purchasing Board Official Bid Forms, a Certified Check, payable to City of Lafayette, a Bid Surety Bond with authority of the Attorney-in-Fact, payable to City of Lafayette, a Letter of Credit, payable to City of Lafayette or Cash, in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total amount of the bid, guaranteeing the successful bidders performance and fulfillment of the contract. The Certified Checks, Letters of Credit, Cash or Bonds of unsuccessful bidders will be returned upon award of the contract to the successful bidder.

All bidders must furnish the Joint Purchasing Board with one (1) copy of bids. The Joint Purchasing Board will allow for escalation or de-escalation of price, under IC 36-1-9-3.1. The bidder **MUST** provide the Joint Purchasing Board with a five (5) day written notice of any price change.

EACH CLASSIFICATION OF ITEMS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON SEPARATE BID FORMS.

EACH BIDDER MUST SPECIFY, ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE ENVELOPE, WHICH ITEMS ARE BEING BID.

The contractor for asphalt paving shall be pre-qualified with the Indiana Department of Transportation and offer proof of same enclosed with the bidding documents. All materials, equipment and workmanship shall comply with Indiana Department of Transportation Standard Specifications latest addition. Asphalt Production Facility shall be certified with the Indiana Department of Transportation and bidder shall provide proof of same enclosed with the bidding documents.

All bids will be awarded to the lowest and/or best responsive and responsible bidder. The Joint Purchasing Board reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, to waive, to the extent permitted by the laws of the State of Indiana, any terms and conditions or provisions in the Materials and Supplies Specifications or any informality, irregularity, omission of any bid provided that such waiver shall, at the discretion of the Joint Purchasing Board, be to the advantage of the City of Lafayette and/or Tippecanoe County.

Bids may be withdrawn prior to, but no bidder may withdraw their bid for a period of thirty (30) days after the day set for the bid openings.

These materials and supplies are exempt from all Federal and State sales tax. Tax exempt certificates will be furnished at the supplier's request.

JOINT PURCHASING BOARD

Mayor Tony Roswarski, President

ATTEST:

Cindy Murray,
City Clerk

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